IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sabine Neirynck PATENT) Serial No.: 09/498,046 Attorney Docket VIB-103.0 Filing Date: February 4, 2000 (1769/97843)For: NEW IMMUNOPROTECTIVE INFLUENZA ANTIGEN AND Group Art No. ITS USE IN VACCINATION 1648) Confirmation No. 8244 Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen

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Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed November 30, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows.